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#### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

##### For Congress.

William E. Spratt, of St. Joseph, Mo., hereby declares himself and announces that he will be a candidate upon the Democratic ticket for the nomination of Representative of the 4th Missouri District in the National Congress at Washington, D. C., in the State Primary Election to be held August 6th, 1918. He will appreciate your support.

**FOR CIRCUIT CLERK**—We are authorized to announce R. T. (DICK) DOBYNS as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court of Holt County, Missouri, subject to the Republican Primary Election, Tuesday, August 6, 1918. He will appreciate your support.

**FOR REPRESENTATIVE**—As a friend of the people, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for Representative, subject to the decision of the Republican voters of Holt county, at the primary election to be held, Tuesday, August 6, 1918. Friends, your votes are solicited.  
Respectfully,  
JOHN H. KUNKEL.

**FOR RECORDER OF DEEDS**—We are authorized to announce Andrew O. Dankers as a candidate for the office of Recorder of Deeds of Holt County, Missouri, subject to the Republican Primary Election, Tuesday, August 6, 1918.

**FOR RECORDER OF DEEDS**—We are authorized to announce Daniel H. Buntz, of Benton township, as a candidate for the office of Recorder of Deeds of Holt County, Missouri, subject to the Republican Primary Election, Tuesday, August 6, 1918.

**FOR RECORDER OF DEEDS**—We are authorized to announce John H. Simpson as a candidate for the office of Recorder of Deeds of Holt County, Missouri, subject to the Republican Primary Election, Tuesday, August 6, 1918.

**FOR COLLECTOR**—We are authorized to announce T. E. Wilson as a candidate for the office of Collector of Revenue, subject to the Republican Primary Election, Tuesday, August 6, 1918.

**FOR COLLECTOR**—We are authorized to announce Wm. H. Alkire as a candidate for the office of Collector of Revenue of Holt County, Missouri, subject to the Republican Primary Election, Tuesday, August 6, 1918.

**FOR COLLECTOR**—We are authorized to announce C. A. (Bert) Rozelle, of Clay township, as a candidate for the office of Collector of Revenue of Holt County, Missouri, subject to the Republican Primary Election, Tuesday, August 6, 1918.

**FOR COUNTY CLERK**—We are authorized to announce Daniel B. Kunkel as a candidate for the office of County Clerk of Holt County, Missouri, subject to the Republican Primary Election, Tuesday, August 6, 1918.

#### County School Notes.

The superintendent is very busy these days, grading examination papers of the seventh and eighth grade pupils of the county. A great many term reports have been filed in the office during the past week. Some time later, when the reports are all in, the superintendent will make a synopsis of the reports of the schools of the county for these notes, and no doubt our readers would like to have these items in such shape that the schools might be compared with each other in size, regular attendance, etc.

Just next week, Friday, May 10, we will celebrate our Second Annual Educational Day. Let us have every school in Holt county represented at this meeting. Every one of the rural graduates as well as every teacher of the rural and consolidated schools should be present. Let us all turn out, school directors and patrons, and make a splendid success of this day.

The program will be as follows:  
10 a. m.—Song, "America."  
Invocation.  
Salute to the flag.

Canning demonstration by Canning Club of Cons. Dist. No. 3. Fried chicken as well as rhubarb will be canned.

Program by the schools of the county teaching "Vitalized Agriculture"—20 minutes.  
Six minute talks—Our Schools, the agency through which good citizens are made.

Training the Head—Supt. Enser.  
Training the Heart—Supt. Smith.  
Training the Hands—Supt. Crossen.  
School Athletics—Supt. Burress.  
The Rural High School—Supt. Skelton.

Club Work—Mrs. Williams.  
The School Band—Mr. Seth Turpen.  
Junior Red Cross Work in the Holt County Schools—Mrs. Quigley.  
War Savings Societies—Supt. Francisco.

12:00—Dinner.  
1:00 p. m.—Song, "Missouri Mine."  
Address—Mr. Sam M. Jordan, State Lecturer.

Presentation of diplomas to rural graduates.  
Award of scholarship (Chillicothe Business College), and of prizes in

Spelling and Penmanship contests.  
2:30—Holt County School Athletic meet.

#### Track.

440-yard dash (High School event).  
220-yard dash (boys).  
100-yard dash (boys).  
50-yard dash (boys).  
50-yard dash (girls).

#### Field.

Pole vault (High School event).  
Standing broad jump (boys).  
Running broad jump (boys).  
Running high jump (boys).  
Running hop, step and jump (boys).  
Basket ball throw (girls).  
Baseball game Cons. Dist. No. 2 vs. Cons. Dist. No. 3.

Baseball game between the winning team and Cons. Dist. No. 6. Supt. S. W. Skelton and Mr. Fred Waggoner will officiate in these events.

#### Oratorical Contest.

8:30 p. m.—"Star Spangled Banner." Invocation—Rev. Wilson.  
Music.

Oration—Representative of Mound City H. S.

Oration—Representative of Oregon H. S.

Music.

Oration—Representative of Cons. Dist. No. 1.

Oration—Representative of Cons. Dist. No. 6.

Music.

Oration—Representative of Craig H. S.

Oration—Representative of Maitland H. S.

Music.

Oration—Representative of Cornin H. S.

Oration—Representative of Cons. Dist. No. 1.

Oration—Representative Forest City H. S.

Music.

Stereopticon views.

Decision of judges, and award of gold medal to winning contestant, and silver trophy cup to school to which winner belongs.

"God Be With You Till We Meet Again."  
Admission to the evening's program will be 25 cents.

I feel sure that the people of Cons. Dist. No. 3 will take great pleasure in extending a cordial welcome to the parents, teachers and friends of all the school children of the county as well as the school children themselves.

Fortescue has one of the most beautiful school buildings in the county, and the spacious auditorium with its comfortable opera chairs will accommodate a large number of people.

ALBERTA GREEN-MURPHY.

#### Fruit Crop Outlook.

The Sentinel—Gentlemen: As per your request for a statement regarding the condition of the fruit buds, will say that a few varieties of very early blooming fruits (especially low ground) have been more or less injured by the freezing temperatures during the recent cold wave, but this injury is very slight, as compared with the main crop of apples, cherries, plums, peaches, etc.; most varieties of these in sprouted orchards are promising splendid crops.

Peaches were, of course, practically killed by the 20 below zero weather of January. Berries and grapes came through the hard winter in better condition than was supposed, and all in all, at this date, 1918 promises very satisfactory returns to fruit growers of Northwest Missouri, who are giving their fruit interests the care and attention that this important industry deserves.

#### GEO. R. MURRAY.

#### The Right Spirit.

At the recent meeting of Meyer Post, G. A. R., held on Saturday last, April 27, 1918, the following resolution was adopted with only one dissenting vote out of a total of 19 members recorded present. The resolution was offered by Robert Montgomery.

Whereas, it being a conceded fact, that when the last comrade of the Grand Army of the Republic ceases to exist, the organization known as the Grand Army of the Republic will become extinct under its provision, and

Whereas, we believe the principles upon which it was founded are eternal, are immortal, are imperishable, are as durable as time itself, yet in the nature of conditions the order is ephemeral, and

Whereas, the organization is purely and solely an American institution, embracing the national principles of loyalty and patriotism;

Therefore, we believe, that each and every American who imperils his life for the perpetuity of these immortal principles is thoroughly loyal and distinctly patriotic.

Therefore, be it resolved by the members of Meyer Post, No. 45, Department of Missouri G. A. R., in regular session assembled, that we favor the amending of Article 4, Chapter 1, of the Rules and Regulations of the Grand Army of the Republic which reads as follows:

Article 4. Eligibility to Membership.—Soldiers and sailors of the United States army, navy or marine corps, who served between April 12, 1861, and April 9, 1865, in the war for the suppression of the rebellion, and those having been honorably discharged therefrom after such service and subject to the orders of the United States general office between the dates mentioned shall be eligible to membership in the Grand Army of the Republic, so that it shall read:

Article 4. Eligibility to Membership.—Soldiers and sailors of the United States army, navy or marine corps, who have been honorably discharged from or after such service in the United States army, navy or marine corps, shall be eligible to membership in the Grand Army of the Republic.

Be it further resolved, that all laws in conflict with this amendment shall be repealed and all opinions antagonistic thereto shall be annulled.

Further resolved, that our representatives and delegate to the Missouri State Encampment, which meets in St. Joseph, May 7-8, 1918, be instructed to present this amendment to that encampment and use their efforts to secure its approval and adoption, and to urge the state encampment to instruct its delegates to the National Encampment to secure the adoption of said amendment as a part of the Rules and Regulations of the Grand Army of the Republic.

## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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### LESSON FOR MAY 5

#### JESUS SETS NEW STANDARDS OF LIVING.

LESSON TEXT—Mark 10:1-12.  
GOLDEN TEXT—Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you. Matthew 6:33.

DEVOTIONAL READING—Ephesians 6:10-12.

ADDITIONAL MATERIAL FOR TEACHERS—Genesis 1:27; 2:24; Exodus 20:17; Matthew 19:1-12; Luke 16:1-13.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus and the children.

LESSON MATERIAL—Mark 10:1-12.

MEMORY VERSE—Suffer the little children to come unto Me, and forbid them not. Mark 10:14.

JUNIOR TOPIC—How God would have us live.

ADDITIONAL MATERIAL—Exodus 20:17; Leviticus 19:17-18; Matthew 22:34-40.

I. Regarding Marriage (vv. 1-12).

The question touching divorce, which the Pharisees temptingly put to Christ, brought forth teaching which exhibits marriage in its true light.

1. Should not be degraded by divorce (vv. 1-6).

Divorce was not instituted by God. The marriage relationship is indissoluble. Moses suffered divorce, limited and regulated it. Its existence, its practice, is indicative of the coarseness and perverseness of man. Sin is its real cause.

2. Marriage is God's primal law (vv. 6-9).

The ideal law of life for the subjects of the kingdom of marriage. This is proven by the fundamental fact of sex. The union of the male and female natures is physical, mental and spiritual. In marriage, the male and female natures are mutually complemented. God's intention is that man should not be without the woman, nor the woman without the man (1 Cor. 11:11).

3. Remarriage of the divorcer is adultery (vv. 10-12).

The marriage relationship can only be broken by death and sin. In view of the fact that marriage is for life, men and women should not enter this relationship without very serious consideration. Divorce for other than marital infidelity does not give the right to remarry.

II. Regarding Children (vv. 13-16).

The union of the male and female natures, according to God's purpose, lays the foundation for family life. The issue of such union is children.

In connection with the divine law of marriage, it is fitting that Jesus should set forth his estimate of children and interest in them. The disciples considered it beneath the dignity of the Master to spend time with the children. Those who think it beneath their dignity to give attention to children should ponder well the words of Jesus. This will give the disciples proper consideration for work among children, and also to the nurture and discipline of their own children.

Christian men and women will regard children as the property of the Lord, and will esteem it a high and holy privilege to train them for him. Due attention to Christ's teaching regarding children would transform the home life of society.

III. Regarding Riches (vv. 17-19).

1. The young ruler's question (v. 17). This question reveals a void in his heart. He was a young man with a lovable character. The Savior's affections were enraptured by him. He was moral, honest, earnest and courageous. He had a wrong conception of eternal life. He thought that eternal life could be obtained by good works. Though he claimed to have kept the law, he was conscious of something lacking. He was willing to do something to fill up that which was lacking; therefore he came to Jesus making inquiry as to that lack.

2. Jesus' reply (vv. 18, 19).

He knew the young man's heart, and put his finger on the weak spot. When it came to parting with his possessions in order to help his neighbor to part with the Lord, going away sorrowful. This revealed the fact that he was a covetous man, a violator of the tenth commandment.

3. Lacking one thing and yet lost (vv. 21, 22).

When the Lord pointed out to him that the defect in his life was the love of his money, he was unwilling to pay the price. When the time came in his life to choose between eternal life and riches, he chose wealth and perished company with Christ, perhaps, forever.

4. The peril of riches (vv. 23-25).

The difficulty does not lie in the fact that a man possesses riches, for a man may possess great riches and still be an heir of the kingdom. Wealth is a mighty power. In itself it is good. It will provide bread for the widow and orphan, ameliorate for the suffering, and send the Gospel of Christ to the ends of the earth. The step from possessing riches to trusting in them is a very short one. The tendency of growing wealth is to destroy the nobler life of the soul. Many of the most useful men in ancient and modern times have been men of wealth; but they, like Abraham, chose to live in tents, looking to the heavenly city which hath foundations. As long as a man possesses riches he is safe, but as soon as riches possess a man he is in deadly peril.

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We're coming from America's  
Thickets, fields, friendly shores,  
We're coming, by battalion, squadron,  
regiment and corps,  
To fight for the freedom of the world.

Chorus:  
Hurrah! Hurrah! We're coming,  
France, to thee;  
Hurrah! Hurrah! We're coming 'cross  
the sea!  
We'll show you how to sacrifice, for  
World Democracy.  
When we arrive at the trenches!

We tried to reason with the Huns,  
But found their minds were rife  
With disregard of truth and law,  
And even human life;  
And so we ceased diplomacy, and  
seized the sword of strife,  
And now we are coming to use it.

Chorus:  
We've put the whole war armor on,  
And gone into the fight,  
To contend, as we've always done,  
For what is just and right;  
And Mr. Hun can now expect to feel  
our utmost might,  
When we arrive at the trenches!

CHORUS:  
ERIKLATH.  
Oregon, Mo., April, 1918.

Evangelical.

The services next Sunday will be as follows: Nickell's Grove—Sunday school at 10 a. m., and the sermon at 11 o'clock; subject, "Have Ye Received the Holy Ghost?" The Young People's Alliance will meet at 7:30.

St. Paul's church: Sunday school at 9:45; Junior Alliance at 2:30; Hazel Feuerbacher will be the leader. The Young People's Alliance will meet at 7:30, with Alice BURGESS as leader; subject, "Service in Church and Community." The pastor will preach at 8:30, using the same theme as in the morning, "Have Ye Received the Holy Ghost?"

On May 12, the St. Paul's church will both observe Mother's Day, and unveil their service flag. A short, but interesting program will be rendered, and the pastor will preach on "The Weak Strong Man."

Sunday, June 2, has been selected by the board as the date for Children's Day, the program to be rendered in the evening.

The Petticoat Evangelistic party are at present conducting a campaign at Clair, Mo., about 7 miles east of St. Joseph. If you wish to go by auto, go by Savannah and Avenue PASTOR.

April in History.

It is interesting to recall that the month of April—the middle of spring—has been the beginning of the most momentous periods in American his-

tory. Here they are:  
April 9, 1776—Battle of Lexington.  
April 4, 1776—Washington forms the first American army of 8,000 men.  
April 25, 1777—Lafayette arrives in America to aid the war of Independence.  
April 25, 1781—First American ship-of-war built at Portsmouth, N. H., by Paul Jones.  
April 19, 1783—War of Independence ends.  
April 21, 1836—Sam Houston defeats Mexicans under Santa Anna at San Jacinto, assuring independence of Texas.  
April 26, 1845—War declared on Mexico.

April 12, 1861—First shot of Rebellion fired on Fort Sumter.  
April 6, 1862—Battle of Shiloh.  
April 24, 1862—Admiral Farragut forces the passage of the Mississippi.  
April 2, 1865—Richmond abandoned by Confederates.  
April 9, 1865—Lee surrenders at Appomattox Court House.  
April 14, 1865—Lincoln assassinated.  
April 21, 1898—War declared on Spain.  
April 7, 1914—American marines occupy Vera Cruz.  
April 6, 1917—War declared on Germany.

#### THE KAISER'S DREAM.

There's a story, I am told, though strange it may seem,  
How the great Kaiser Bill had a wonderful dream,  
When he was dreaming of Allies as he lay in his bed,  
When his dream was switched about and he thought he was dead.  
In a very fine coffin he was laying in state,  
And thousands were there, though none mourned his fate;  
His soul buzzed about and found, to his cost,  
That he and his soldiers were bound to be lost.  
He couldn't believe it, so to Heaven went straight,  
And arrived at the portals, knocked loud at the gate,  
"Hey, Peter, get busy, quick, open the door,  
See who's here. It's the Kaiser. Make everything roar,  
Beat the drums, blow the horns, have a swell banquet made,  
Tell Gott I've come and we'll have a parade."  
Saint Peter looked out. Then, in a voice loud and clear,  
Said, "Try down below, Bill, you can't get in here."  
"Tut, tut," said the Kaiser, "you're very unwell,  
Don't probably know I'm a friend of the Devil,  
And I'm going with pleasure." So he started to go,  
A-whistling like blazes, to make a big show.  
When he came to Hell's door he was filled with dismay,  
For while waiting outside he'd heard Satan say:  
"Look here, boys, take notice, I gave you all warning,  
I'm expecting the Kaiser down here in the morning,  
But don't let him in, he'll start musing about,  
So give him the bum, ha! and kick him right out."  
"Oh, Satan, dear friend," the Kaiser then cried,  
"Excuse me for listening while outside,  
But please let me go in, for where else can I go?"  
"Indeed," said the Devil, "I'm damned if I know."  
"Ach, please let me go in, for I am feeling quite cold,  
And if you want money, I've plenty of gold.  
Let me sit in a corner, no matter how hot."  
"Nix, Nein," said the Devil, "most certainly not,  
You can't gain admittance by your offer of pelf.  
Here are sulphur and matches, make a Hell for yourself,  
Don't skink, use them freely, for, by dinner and blitz,  
I've plenty more left for the Sultan and Fritz."

From his troublous sleep Bill awoke in a sweat,  
And said: "That's a dream I shall never forget,  
That I won't get to Heaven, I know very well,  
But I never believed I'd get kicked out of Hell."

—N. O. in Ex.

#### OUR OPINION OF THE KAISER.

When your worthless days are ended and your bones are laid to rest—  
When the Hunyaks, Turks and Bulgars lay a rose upon your chest—  
A few may stand in silence, but not a soul will sigh,  
For the world will be delighted at the chance to say good-by.

O the happy day is coming—it will be here by and by.  
When the devil with his brimstone your carcass he will fry.  
He will keep you in the furnace till there's nothing left but grease,  
Then there'll be no further trouble—all the world will live in peace.

When old Gabriel blows his trumpet you will be the first to go,  
But old Satan soon will grab you, in the fire you're hid he'll throw.  
Speed the day when you're no longer soaking Europe's sod with blood—  
We're longing for the chance to see you laid beneath the mud.

You held a place of honor with us twenty years ago,  
But your reign has been so lustful it has filled our lives with woe.  
We know the day is coming when the crows will gaily wing  
O'er the body of the kaiser—that bloody German king.

—Frank P. Kelley in Typographical Journal.

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